

PGY2 Pharmacy Informatics Residency

Based in Nashville, Tennessee, HCA Healthcare is **one of the nation's leading providers of healthcare** services. HCA Healthcare is made up of locally managed facilities that include >180 hospitals and approximately 1,800 sites of care, including surgery centers, freestanding ERs, urgent care centers and physician clinics, in 20 states and the United Kingdom.

Program Description and Benefits

The **PGY2 pharmacy informatics resident** will have an opportunity to learn across the continuum of care in an environment which places the care and improvement of human life above all else. Graduates of this residency program will be equipped to improve patient outcomes through the application of pharmacy informatics principles, standards, and best practices. This includes effective decision support for the interdisciplinary healthcare teams, as well as promoting the safe and effective utilization of technology and automation systems for pharmacy operations. The resident will be involved in planning, development, education, implementation, and technical support for all members of the healthcare team.

As members of a team of **eight pharmacy residents**, each resident performs the vital role as preceptor for students rotating through the corporate office practice site. HCA has strong ties to the three local schools of pharmacy and involvement with several others nationwide.

In addition to a competitive salary, residents also enjoy **additional benefits**:

- Medical, dental, and vision insurance available through the University of Tennessee
- Travel allowance for participation in professional meetings
- Free parking
- Access to corporate gym/workout facility

After Residency

This program will prepare the residents for pharmacy informaticist positions at a facility or healthcare system level.

Application Requirements

Utilize PhORCAS system to submit the following information by **December 31st**:

- Letter of intent
- Three letters of recommendation
- Curriculum vitae (CV)
- Official school transcripts

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Required Learning Experiences	Year-Long Longitudinal Learning Experiences	Sites of Practice	Elective Learning Experiences
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orientation (1 month) • Fundamental Pharmacy Informatics (2 months) • Health Policy (1 month) • Medication Safety (1 month) • Clinical Decision Making and Leadership (1 month) • Practical Applications in Pharmacy Informatics (5 months) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional Development • Acute Clinical Pharmacy Practice • Research and Project Management • Effective Teaching 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HCA Healthcare Clinical Services Group (Corporate Office) • HCA Healthcare Information Technology Group (Corporate Office) • TriStar StoneCrest Medical Center • Other HCA Healthcare facilities and practices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teaching and Learning Program (TLP) Certificate (UT College of Pharmacy) • Medication Management Seminar Series

PGY2 Program Purpose: PGY2 pharmacy residency programs build on Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) education and PGY1 pharmacy residency programs to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists in specialized areas of practice. PGY2 residencies provide residents with opportunities to function independently as practitioners by conceptualizing and integrating accumulated experience and knowledge and incorporating both into the provision of patient care or other advanced practice settings. Residents who successfully complete an accredited PGY2 pharmacy residency are prepared for advanced patient care, academic, or other specialized positions, along with board certification, if available.

